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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed January 3, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Cancel claims 39-42.

- (Reiterated) An isolated polypeptide selected from the group consisting 29. of:
 - a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3; a)
 - a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:7; **b**)
 - a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:9; c)
- a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA d) of the clone contained in ATCC Accession No. 97880;
- a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA e) of the clone contained in ATCC Accession No. 97881;

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